

We claim:

1. An improved nonwoven resistant to slippage comprising:
a nonwoven substrate having top and bottom surfaces, at least one surface
of said nonwoven substrate being coated with microcapsules containing an
5 adhesive,
said microcapsule coated nonwoven having an average drag force of at least
250 grams as per the method described in Example 1.
2. The nonwoven resistant to slippage according to claim 1 where said
nonwoven substrate is a table covering.
3. The nonwoven resistant to slippage according to claim 1 wherein said
nonwoven is formed into disposable footwear.
4. The nonwoven resistant to slippage according to claim 1 wherein the
nonwoven substrate has a second material laminated to a surface of the
nonwoven.
5. The nonwoven resistant to slippage according to claim 4 wherein the second
material is a breathable synthetic material.
6. An improved laminate for forming disposable footwear for health care or
clean room environments comprising:
a first covering layer of a fractured plastic film
5 at least one layer of a nonwoven web material,
said first covering layer of fractured plastic film being coated with

microcapsules containing an adhesive, said microcapsule coated plastic film having a drag force of at least 250 grams as per the method described in Example 1.

7. The improved laminate according to claim 6 wherein the fractured plastic film has a vapor transmission rate of at least 100 grams per square meter per ASTM Method ES 22-1992.

8. An improved substrate for forming disposable footwear for health care or clean room environments comprising:

a substrate having at least one layer of nonwoven material,

- 5 at least one surface of said substrate being coated with microcapsules containing an adhesive, said microcapsule coated substrate having a drag force of at least 250 grams as per the method described in Example 1, said laminate being folded along a longitudinal axis to form two mirror image panels, the covering layer coated with microcapsules containing an adhesive
10 selected as the exterior,
said mirror image panels being joined together at outer edges by a continuous seam to form a shoe covering except for an opening being provided for the wearer's foot, said edges forming the opening being provided with a resilient material to snugly close the opening around the wearer's foot.

9. The improved laminate according to claim 8 wherein the resilient material is provided along the edge forming the opening and along the length of the continuous seam.

10. An improved laminate for forming disposable footwear for health care or clean room environments comprising:
at least one covering layer of a nonwoven material,
5 said covering layer of nonwoven material being coated with microcapsules containing an adhesive, said microcapsule coated nonwoven web material having a drag force of at least 250 grams as per the method described in Example 1,
said laminate being folded along a longitudinal axis to form two mirror image
10 panels, the first covering layer of nonwoven web material is selected as the exterior,
said mirror image panels being joined together at outer edges by a continuous seam to form a shoe covering except for an opening being provided for the wearer's foot, said edges forming the opening being provided
15 with a resilient material to snugly close the opening around the wearer's foot.
11. The improved laminate according to claim 10 wherein the laminate includes a second layer of a batting material attached to the covering layer.
12. The improved laminate according to claim 10 where batting material includes a hydrogel absorbent dispersed in said batting material.
13. The improved laminate according to claim 12 wherein the batting material is sandwiched between the covering layer and nonwoven material and a second layer of nonwoven material.

14. The improved laminate according to claim 10 wherein the laminate includes in addition a layer of a fractured plastic film.

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